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In Re Application of: DUFFY et al.

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For: GLASS PANEL WITH BARRIER  
COATING AND RELATED METHODS

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT

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Sir:

The 1 reference cited on the attached substitute form 1449A are being called to the attention of the Examiner. A copy of the reference is enclosed. It is respectfully requested that the cited information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and the reference be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

As provided for by 37 CFR 1.97(g) and (h), no inference should be made that the information and references cited are prior art merely because they are in this Statement, and no representation is being made that a search has been conducted or that this statement encompasses all the possible relevant information.

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